

TWO SCHOOLS OF POETRY.

THE NORTHERN AND THE SOUTHERN CONTESTED.

PROFESSOR MCCLINTOCK'S LECTURE ON SUNNY LANTER—OTHER INCIDENTS OF THE DAY AT CHAUTAUQUA.

BY TELEGRAPH TO THE TRIBUNE.

Chautauqua, N. Y., July 28.—"Assyrian Discoveries" was the subject of the Bible School conference this morning, led by Professor Sylvester Burnham, who stated the nature of the subject and showed his relations to Bible study. The Assyrian discoveries, he said, are among the most wonderful achievements of this age. They have brought to light a language, a literature, and the life of mighty nations. They supplement and confirm the Bible history. Professor Charles Horswell set forth the attitude the Christian scholar ought to assume toward these and similar modern discoveries, welcoming all additions to our knowledge. Professor D. A. McMullan gave an interesting account of the late discoveries at Tel-el-Amari-Na, and showed their value for the Bible student. Professor G. A. Duncan spoke of the accounts of the Creation and the Deluge in Assyrian literature, and of the relation of their accounts to the first part of the Book of Genesis. The conference was well attended and was highly interesting.

At the Woman's Club, led by Mrs. Emily Huntington Miller, an interesting hour was spent in discussing ways to help the extremely poor.

"Preparation of the Sermon" was Dr. Herriet Johnson's subject to-day. The lecture is generally considered the best in the course on "Preachers and Preaching." A reception, largely attended, was held in the parlors of the Presbyterian headquarters last evening in honor of Dr. Johnson. "Dr. Johnson and His Friends" was the title of an interesting lecture by Leon Vincent to an audience fully as large as those which have attended his previous lectures this week. The famous clubs of the time were described, and among those who belonged to the "Literary Club" with Dr. Johnson were named Sir Joshua Reynolds, Edmund Burke, Sir William Jones, David Garrick, James Boswell, Oliver Goldsmith, Bennett Langton and Topham Beauchamp. The honor of membership was almost equivalent to a seat in Parliament, and here for twenty years intellectual giants met. At the table of the Turk's Head Coffee House gathered the author of "The Vicar of Wakefield," the author of "Rasselas," the author of the best biography in the English language, the president of the National Academy, the finest speaker in the House of Commons and the most remarkable actor of that time.

The girls' "Outlook" held one of its best sessions yesterday. To-day "Being a Woman" was discussed by Miss Grace Randolph, who said that in itself living is the fountain of youth. The life or purpose is the life of power.

Professor W. D. McClinton this afternoon gave a lecture on Sidney Lanier. He spoke of a Southern school of poets, to which Poe, Hamilton, Hayne and Lanier belong, and which, he said, differs from the Northern in having less of the Puritan element. It is more artistic, and has less of the strenuous interpretation of nature. There is more unreality, more unworldliness in it. It is deep, yet wide; it is subtle with a greater largeness of vision. There is a great deal of singing for the mere pleasure of singing, with no moral attached to it. There is a sort of sensuous delight in the joys of nature. The Northern school of poetry appeals to the brotherhood of all mankind; is more universal, more popular, plainer, more simple.

The Southern is more, more unreal, more suggestive; all through it is a kind of haze, as in Poe's "Raven." All American poets have been most moral, clean, pure and wholesome, but Lanier was intensely moral. He had a deeply religious temperament. He dealt with the emotions of suffering and love with greatest power and delicacy than any American poet. He had a divine sense of beauty. But he had a marvellous understanding of God and of the love of God. He had the power of Keats in presenting the finest emotions, of making love live intensely, and of arousing the artistic impulse in others.

COLORED METHODISTS AT OCEAN GROVE.

Ocean Grove, July 28 (Special).—The African Methodist Episcopal Church held its annual "jubilee" here to-day, with a larger attendance than ever before. Bishop Tanner presided at the morning session. The Rev. Dr. W. H. Butler and the Rev. W. D. Cook gave short addresses. The principal speaker was Mrs. Sarah Gorman, who for some years has been a missionary in Africa. The Rev. W. B. Derrick was the last speaker of the morning. The singing of the American Creole quartet was a prominent feature of the programme. At the afternoon session addresses were made by the Rev. J. J. Easley, the Rev. Dr. W. H. Butler, the Rev. Dr. W. H. Cook, the Rev. W. B. Derrick and the Rev. W. H. Youm.

CLOSING LECTURES TO CATHOLIC STUDENTS.

Pittsburg, N. Y., July 28 (Special).—The last lecture of the course on educational epochs was delivered this morning by Brother Azarias. His subject was "The Modern Christian School." He first described the state of education in the seventeenth century and the new ideas introduced by Peter Fourier; but the lecture was chiefly devoted to the history and analysis of the work of De La Salle, founder of the Brothers of the Christian Schools. Richard Malcolm Johnston also lectured upon the work of the journalist, and introduced Dr. Longfellow, of Philadelphia, president of the summer school, who made an address upon ethics and journalism. Richard Malcolm Johnston then read two of his own stories, "The Old Bachelor's Story." This evening a service for congregational singing was held at St. John's Church, followed by a social reception in the assembly room of the Dyansville Academy.

CONFESSED HIS CRIME WHEN DYING.

Pittsburg, July 28.—Austro-Hungarian Consul Max Shamborg, in Pittsburg, yesterday received from the courts of Prague the confession of Karl Smetana, a Bohemian, now in prison in Prague for robbery. Smetana, while on his trial, confessed that he had murdered a man named John Woloski, in Pennsylvania, in 1880; that he robbed him of \$210, with which he escaped from the country. The confession also states that a Pole named Olkowski was convicted for this crime, and that he was serving a sentence in either the Eastern or Western Penitentiary, although he is innocent. The Bohemian authorities are investigating. The confessed murderer worked in the Pennsylvania coke regions and in Allegheny City in 1890.

WAS THE SHOOTING ACCIDENTAL?

Camden, N. J., July 28.—The murderer of Mrs. Lizzie Copeland was captured at 2 a. m. to-day. He was found in a hay mow in Gloucester City, and said he was Charles Jordan. He has confessed to the police that he did the shooting, but says it was accidental.

GIVING AND RECEIVING FATAL SHOTS.

Ravenna, Ohio, July 28.—Pierce Converse, of San Antonio, Tex., visiting at the home of N. Converse, a wealthy merchant here, shot a man this morning who gives his name as Frank Edwards, of Philadelphia. The burglar returned the fire, two bullets taking effect, and received a terrible wound in the abdomen. He was taken to the County Jail. It is thought that both will die. Pierce Converse came here with his grandmother, Mrs. A. C. Allen, of Houston, Tex., who has plenty of money. He thought there was a plot to rob her and slept on a cot at the door of her room.

INDIANAPOLIS SUED BY BROKERS.

Indianapolis, July 28 (Special).—Coffin & Stanton brokers, of New York, to-day filed suit in the United States Court against the city, asking for a return of the \$31,000 forfeit which was put up as a guarantee of good faith in the sale of the city's bonds, amounting to \$261,000, which, however, the plaintiffs refused to take. They allege that the bonds were not legally drawn. These bonds have become a municipal campaign issue.

THE PETROLEUM MARKET.

NEWS FROM THE FIELD AND RANGE OF RUINS.

New-York, July 28, 1893.—The crude petroleum market remained barren of transactions yesterday. The bid price at the Consolidated Exchange remained at 57¢. The production of the McDonald field was unchanged at 1,000 barrels per day. The totals of range and field production showed slight increase.

Quotations on refined oil and foreign prices were unchanged.

THE MARKETS.

TOTAL RECEIPTS TO-DAY.

	New-York, July 28, 1893.
Brewery, pints	16,000

	EXPORTS TO-DAY.
Asphalt, bushels	27,960

	CASH QUOTATIONS TO-DAY.
Ingr. No 1 Foundry, Penn.	\$14.50

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